

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Donald D. Cooper
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For : METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR FORMING A HOLE OR SLOT
IN POWDER METAL COMPONENTS
Art Unit : 1793
Examiner : Christopher S. Kessler
Docket No.: 990029.00002

RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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